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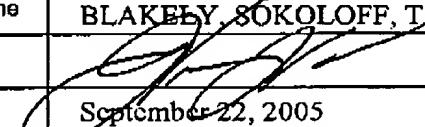
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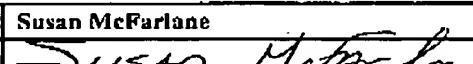
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		Art Unit 2634
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## **1. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Total Claims		<b>Each Claim</b>	Returns below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	<b>26</b>	<b>32'</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Independent Claims	<b>4</b>	<b>5"</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
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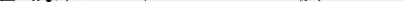
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Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee Description
Code	(\\$)	Code	(\\$)	
1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
1204	300	2204	150	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	300	2205	150	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>			<b>(\\$)</b>	<b>0.00</b>

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Large Entity		Small Entity		<b>Fee Description</b>
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
1052		2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
2053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification
1251	120	2261	60	Extension for reply within first month
1262	450	2262	225	Extension for reply within second month
1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month
1254	1,580	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month
1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	1,000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1480	130	2460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1806	100	1806	100	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
1809	790	1809	306	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.120(g))
1810	790	2810	306	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.120(h))
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4	5* = 0	200.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent			

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 12, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.